IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Nobuyuki TAKAKUWA et al. Conf. 6581

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INFORMATION RECORDING MEDIUM, INFORMATION RECORDING DEVICE AND METHOD, INFORMATION REPRODUCTION DEVICE AND METHOD, INFORMATION RECORDING/REPRODUCTION DEVICE AND METHOD, COMPUTER PROGRAM FOR RECORDING OR REPRODUCTION CONTROL, AND DATA STRUCTURE CONTAINING CONTROL SIGN

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

August 10, 2010

Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the **non-final** Office Action of May 12, 2010:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 19 of this paper.